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ABRAHAM'S FAITH—The promise, that he should be the savior of the world, was not to Abraham, or to his seed, through the law, but through the righteousness of faith.—Romans 4:13.

Gets His Man After 28 Years



NLA Los Angeles Bureau

A 28-year search for the last member of a gang of four bandits who murdered John H. Powell, Clarksville (Ark.) sheriff, in 1902, ended when Joe King, Flint, returned to the Arkansas town with John P. Dunn, left, the alleged slayer, who was arrested at Las Vegas, Nev. King was Sheriff Powell's assistant.

No Real National Anthem
Congress has never passed any act designating an official national anthem. "The Star-Spangled Banner" has, however, received recognition in both the army and navy regulations. It is played at the time of flag lowering at army forts and on battleships, as well as on other ceremonial occasions. "My Country 'Tis of Thee" is also regarded by many as our national anthem or hymn.

Joint Monarchy
Why the reign of William III of England is called that of William and Mary is thus explained: Mary was the daughter of James II, and the crown was conferred jointly upon her and her husband, William, who was the grandson of Charles I of England. The death of Mary, at the end of five years, lessened the popularity of the king.

Inventor Honored
In the public square at Bardonia, Ky., is a monument to Lieut. John Fitch as the inventor of the steamboat. By a unanimous vote the United States Senate and House approved on February 12, 1929, an appropriation of \$10,000 for a suitable monument to Lieutenant Fitch. The memorial was unveiled with impressive ceremonies on May 25, 1927.

New Simile Needed
A Kansas editor wants to know what has become of the girl who was "as ugly as a mud fence." It isn't the ugly girls who have disappeared. It's the mud fences.—New York Evening Star.

Mankind's Wallets
Jupiter has loaded us with a couple of wallets; the one, filled with his own voice he has placed at our backs; the other, heavy with those of others, he has hung before.—Pheolus (Circa 8 A. D.). Fable 10.

Wisdom of Epictetus
When you have brought yourself to supply the needs of the body at small cost, do not plume yourself on that, nor if you drink only water, keep saying on each occasion, "I drink water." And if you ever want to practice endurance and fortitude do so unto yourself and not unto others—do not embrace statues!—Epictetus.

First Offenders
According to a clergyman much trouble would be avoided if married people exercised more common sense. All matrimonial trouble would be avoided if only single people exercised more common sense.—Detroit News.

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FRANCE AND ITALY STILL IN DEADLOCK

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While the other delegations now wait to get the French and Italian to discuss any one of numerous schemes which have been figured out as a basis for possible compromise.

Prime Minister Macdonald and A. V. Alexander, first lord of the admiralty, had lunch at the American headquarters today and it was assumed the Franco-Italian situation came under survey. The Americans present were Secretary Stimson, Ambassadors Dawes and Morrow and Senator Hoeb.

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TOKYO DENIES STORY

TOKYO, Mar. 19 (AP)—Reports that the Japanese government has decided to reject the tentative Japanese-American naval agreement are not confirmed here and are considered to be highly improbable. It was gathered that a final decision will be reached Saturday.

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College April 12 has been officially designated by the National School Bands organization as the official contest for this state in selecting a contestant for the national contest in Flint, Michigan.

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This will eliminate the second contest which was held in Portland last year following the one here sponsored for the last seven years by Kappa Kappa Psi, national honor fraternity for bandmen.

Selection of the college contest as official for this state was made by the national organization after obtaining favorable reports from leading high school band directors throughout the state, according to word received from M. C. Trueman, secretary of the national organization.

The United States senate is right in establishing court censorship for racy and immoral literature entering from foreign countries. We have enough of that variety published in this country to give everyone an adequate supply.

A Cove cherry grower tells us that conditions look ideal for this small fruit in the Grande Ronde valley this year. All that is required for a banner year is continued favorable weather—and prices equal to those of 1929!

Last fall we were led to believe by eastern newspapers that everybody on the Atlantic coast (and some on other coasts) had lost their shirts in the stock market crash. Now the treasury department says that income tax receipts are only five million behind the total of the same day last year—which indicates there are still a few people in the country with taxable incomes and profits coming from legitimate, established business.

A committee of the legislature is studying ways and means of improving the efficiency and economy of that body in Oregon. They say that it is too noisy and too costly. The noise on the part of members can't very well be reduced. How's a legislator to make a name for himself unless he can make frequent loud speeches and indulge in a fist fight on occasion? Noise made by spectators might be reduced but it would spoil a lot of the fun of lobbying. As far as costs are concerned, some clerks and stenographers might be cut off the payroll but there's no chance of cutting a legislator's pay. He gets very little now. At least three dollars a day can be regarded as very little when you consider that the men who receive this compensation are given authority effecting millions of dollars worth of property. California pays \$1000 a session to members of the legislature. Washington and Idaho five dollars a day each. It is not hard to understand why Oregon has difficulty getting competent men to run for legislative jobs in many districts.

DISRESPECT FOR LAWS
"Disrespect for law" and "disobedience to law" are mentioned today as though horrendous creatures of modernity, unknown to our ancestors. This day and generation are condemned for bringing them into being, when they should be consoled for inheriting them from the past.

Did the early colonists respect the tax laws? Did the pioneers honor the mark that preserved for masts for England's navy the tall trees of New England? Were the laws against furnishing Indians with "fire water" obeyed? Were not the best people, the patriots, of the New England colonies engaged in smuggling in goods upon which duties were imposed? Colonial court records reflect widespread disobedience to law. And what of the Whisky Rebellion, the slave laws of Civil war days and the conservation statutes?

So when the 1930 model of American chooses which laws he will obey and which he will disobey he is following a course of behavior not far different from that followed by his father, grandfather, great-grandfather and so on. And for this bad example they have set him he cannot, out of respect for the dead, condemn them.

To understand the present problem it is necessary to understand the attitude of the American people toward law, an attitude springing from a great variety of historic causes, among them being the pioneer spirit, the Puritan's objection to administration, the Whig tradition of a right of revolution, the conception of natural rights and others.

Which is not, of course, a valid reason why we should not seek to cure the existing evil. Because previous generations did their best to avoid laws that displeased them should stimulate the modern American to improvement. The difficulty is that all laws are not laws by common consent. If we can make them so, or if we can replace them with new regulations that will be more universally accepted, disrespect for law will be less frequent.

Overcome by Faith
Every noble work is at first "impossible." In very truth, for every noble work the possibilities will be diffused through industry, ingenuity, untiringly, unobtainable except to faith.—Thomas Carlyle.

Measuring the Great
It is not by his faults but by his excellences that we must measure a great man.—George Henry Lewes.

VETERAN BRITISH STATESMAN DIES

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house he died. Lord Balfour was created an early and Viscount Traquair after the Washington conference in 1921 and 1922. He also was made a Knight of the Garter, but seldom afterwards appeared in public roles.

Money Used For Margin, Is Claim

WASHINGTON, Mar. 19 (AP)—Testimony that an account of \$14,196 maintained by Claudius H. Huston, chairman of the republican national committee with the New York brokerage firm of Rhyll and Bonner, had been used as a margin for stock purchases was given before the senate labor committee today by Charles A. Krick, a member of the brokerage firm.

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